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Subject Re: exposure during transportation

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Thank you for your response. I do not think that you can assume that a person would not be within six feet of the cask for a significant length of time. I have often sat in traffic jams for hours near the same vehicle, and what about the safety of the driver of the nuclear waste truck? Is there no way we can reduce the exposure levels during transportation? Is there any ongoing research in this area? Yucca Mountain seems to be our best solution for nuclear waste, but this one problem does concern me. If the state of Nevada starts ad campaigns with something like this, and DOE does't have a good response, Yucca Mountain may never become our nuclear waste repository, and that would be a real waste.